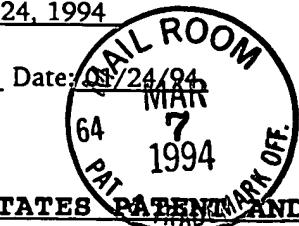


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing a response presently due by January 22, 1994 in the above-identified application. The extensions of time indicated below are required and have not yet been granted:

three months, fee = \$840.00

A check for the total amount shown above is enclosed to cover the extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 13-0025.

Respectfully submitted,

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